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VOLUME XLVIII

21 GRADUATES RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES MOST INTERESTING

Twenty-one young people finished their training in Grayling schools and last week received graduation diplomas. It was a fine appearing class and when they marched upon the stage of the high school auditorium on Thursday night of last week they were given a fine ovation. They occupied two long rows upon the stage, taking their seats while the high school orchestra under direction of Mrs. E. E. Smith, finished playing a march.

The following Class Day program was rendered:

Program
Selection—Orchestra
President's Address—Russell Robtson
Salutatory—Bernice Corwin
Piano Solo—Shirley McNeven
Class Prophecy—Elizabeth Harder, Mary King, Philomena Krause
Class Will Gladys Chamberlain
Song Girls' Glee Club
Class Poem—Edna Leibitzke
Class History—Albert Schroeder
Solo—Miss Cottle
Valedictory—Genevieve Montour and Matt Blavia
Valedictory—Ruby Stephan
Class Song (composed by Albert Trudeau)—Class
Selection—Orchestra

It is our impression that this was the best carried out Class Day program that we have ever witnessed in Grayling and reflects a lot of credit upon the school faculty and especially upon Miss Harris, principal and senior class advisor. Miss Harris prepared the class for graduation and every part was presented in a straight forward and interesting manner. The essays had been well prepared and each was splendidly given. The school orchestra and Miss Cottle with her vocal solo were in keeping with the quality of the evening's program.

The program closed with the class song that had been composed by Albert Trudeau, one of the graduates. It was very musical and pleasing and made a hit with the audience. The valedictory address by Miss Ruby Stephan is being published hereewith which we are sure will be very interesting to our readers.

Commencement Program
Selection—Orchestra
Invocation—Father Culligan
Quartette—Mrs. Jarmin, Miss Salling, Mrs. Clippert, Miss Cavanaugh
Presentation—Edwin L. Miller
Piano Duet—Shirley McNeven, Ruth McNeven

Presentation of Diplomas—B. E. Smith
Selection—Orchestra
Benediction—Father Culligan

The Commencement program was rendered Friday night. Principal on the program was the commencement address by Edwin L. Miller, assistant superintendent of schools of Detroit, and former president of the state teachers association.

The program began with a selection by the high school orchestra. After invocation by Rev. Fr. Culligan, Mrs. Jarmin, Miss Salling, Mrs. Clippert and Miss Cavanaugh sang very beautifully a vocal quartette.

Commencement Address

The commencement address by Edwin L. Miller left with the class a number of constructive ideas as to their duty as graduates. He told of some of his early school day experiences and spoke of the high school as the greatest institution in the whole world educating a whole nation of boys and girls. The speaker also cited some of the members of his own graduating class as examples of success, mentioning particularly four outstanding ones.

As assistant superintendent of the Detroit schools he stated that there are five fundamental principles toward which their efforts are directed. The first of these is that they go after health; second they go after figures to aid in thrift; third, language; fourth, courtesy; and fifth, citizenship. He characterized Lincoln as outstanding in these five principles and claimed him to have been the best educated man.

Further, we should be taught the worthy use of leisure, the abuse of which would ruin a nation, but if used would make a great nation. He advocated the reading of great books, the studying of musical masters and artists, and the cultivation of character and industry, claiming that it was supremely disgraceful not to work.

Supt. B. E. Smith complimented the class upon their completion of their high school work and respectfully passed them over to the Board of Education and Mr. M. A. Bates, secretary of the board, gave out the diplomas.

The class colors of blue and gold were used extensively in the stage decorations and near the ceiling of the rear of the stage was the class motto—"Out of School Life Into Life's School" in gold gothic letters upon a background of blue. The front of the stage was a profusion of floral bouquets and baskets of flowers. It was looked very pretty and showed real effort on the part of the decorators.

On class night the girls wore dresses of blue with white collars and cuffs and the young men, light trousers and dark coats. On commencement night conventional suits were worn by the young men, while the young ladies were in handsome new dresses.

Throughout the high school years the class of 1926 has been an active appreciated. EVERYBODY BOOST!

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Grayling

Sunday, July 4th
Monday, July 5th

See Program on another page
of this paper.

one, contributing largely to athletics and putting on many public entertainments and have had an enviable record of success in all their undertakings. And there is no reason in the world why the members should not be able to continue on in "Life's School" with equal success. We are certain that we share the sentiments of the community when we wish for these young men and women best wishes for successful, sensible and pleasant careers.

THE IDEAL AMERICAN

Valedictory Address by Miss Ruby Stephan

Following is the valedictory address given by Miss Ruby Stephan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stephan, at the graduation exercises of Grayling high school, June 17th: The ideal American citizen of today is at once the most fortunate and useful of men, blessed with opportunity and burdened with responsibility. At one time our land traced only a narrow strip along the Atlantic coast, now it encircles half the globe; at first we were only a handful of refugee settlers; now we are 110 million strong. We are now rich and respected as a foremost world power, the proud demonstrators of the practicability of self-government. Such is our heritage, but it is not ours to carry and to preserve only, we must perfect it and bequeath to the future a more abundant legacy than we received from the past.

The life of a nation lies deeper than the surface; it is not a thing of gold or silver, steel or iron, not even flesh and blood. The fabric of a nation's life is woven from the character of her citizens. Sterling manhood made America and nothing else can preserve her. The future demands only that she make her coming citizen a man worthy of his place. To do this there are three things at his disposal—education, morality and patriotism. Each of these must be given a broad meaning and be impressed with all the earnestness of men who fight for life.

Mr. Johnson says he has no hope of making money on the project for the next five years and that in case he never makes a profit, he says that at least he will be having a good time. He is a most congenial host, and we predict that, due to the energetic advertising that he is doing, and his courteous treatment of guests that it will not be long before his hotel registers will bear names of people from scores of states, instead of just from Ohio, Illinois and Indiana whose people already are coming here in increasing numbers.

The enterprise of Mr. Johnson and his associates means a bigger and better business for all resort visitors about Houghton and Higgins Lakes, and also our own beautiful Lake Margrethe. In fact the capacities of these places, we faithfully believe, are soon to be taxed to their limits. Thousands of people of Lower Michigan, as well as of many of the states south of us are mapping out summer trips and Michigan is the biggest talk of state of them all. Mr. Johnson has visioned this great prospect and has "set his house in order" to receive them.

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nated this feature.

With all of these features, it is certain that if any citizen in the community fails to take advantage of the Chautauqua, he or she will be certain to regret it. Let us all work together and loyalty support the committee in charge showing them that such splendid plans as they have made are used.

The importance of protecting the pre-school child is especially stressed by health authorities, since 80 per cent of all diphtheria deaths are of children less than five years of age. It is also emphasized that no harmful effects result from the very mild toxin-antitoxin preparation now

HOUGHTON LAKE FOREST RESORT

We cannot fail to be mindful of the opening of Houghton Lake Forest Park for the season at Houghton Lake near Prudenville. The 1926 season there began with the opening of Johnson's Rustic Dance Palace, Michigan's finest and largest rustic dance pavilion.

This fine pavilion opened last Saturday night, and in order to do so it was necessary for forty carpenters and laborers to work like mad for the last few days in order to get the huge palace ready for the dancers. They slipped under the wire well ahead of the flag and put on one of the pleasantest opening parties that this region has ever seen. Santiago Calvo's South Americans nine-piece dance band furnished the music. Early in the evening the big floor was well filled with dancers, and all seemed to be enjoying the occasion immensely. Everything about the place is of rustic design, and very artistic. The ceiling was of lattice and was a power of artificial flowers and highly colored autumn leaves, and many floral baskets which contained the lights that supplied the indirect lighting, and which were frequently altered in their electrical effects. It is a beautiful place and will no doubt provide the people of that region with plenty of entertainment of that class.

The Houghton Lake Forest resort is new and comprises 1,500 acres and about two miles of lake shore. Already a number of fine cottages have been constructed there, and a dining hall is nearly ready for service. Also the foundation is built for a large hotel.

Streets are being laid out through the forests about the resort but it is claimed that not a single tree will be disturbed except where it is necessary to clear the land for buildings and for streets.

Frank R. Johnson, the owner of Houghton Lake Forest park resides in Detroit and has travelled extensively, but was so attracted by the possibilities about Houghton Lake that he concluded to try and develop it for resorting purposes.

In a conversation with the writer he stated that the date to come when people go to lakes and watering places for fun and recreation and are willing to put up with any kind of accommodations such as living in tents and sleeping on the ground or on hard, uncomfortable beds, eating anything they can get—good, bad and indifferent.

People who enjoy the comforts of modern homes are demanding modern comforts while they are on their vacations. It is to such, he says, that he is catering. His cottages are well constructed with an idea of comfort and beauty and equipped with the most comfortable beds possible, elegant lounging rooms, modern kitchen equipment with electrical stoves and other electrical devices, thus making them just as fine and convenient as those of the finest homes.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1926.

THE GREAT north is calling the people from the large and small cities of the south to vacationland. To the north where the climate is ideal and where health is preserved and rest and comfort assured and where recreational pleasures are of the outdoor and of the inspirational variety. Warm weather seems to have come to Thomas Jefferson. For that reason and it looks as tho' it were here to stay. Thousands are looking up the highways and planning their routes

for the summer, and soon Michigan will be dotted everywhere with autos bearing licensees from dozens of states. Is Grayling ready? We believe we are. Show the tourists the finest courtesy we know how to extend. They like to be where they are noticed and where people are appreciative of the money that they leave among us. "We're glad to see you and hope you will have a good time and stick around a long time, and come again," is the kind of spirit to pass out—it pays in good fellowship as well as in cents.

LET US CELEBRATE!

Fourth of July this year will mark the 150th birthday of the Declaration of American Independence, and the centennial of the death of its author, Thomas Jefferson. For that reason and it looks as tho' it were here to stay. Thousands are looking up the highways and planning their routes

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Both in appearance and in service, concrete is the aristocrat of pavements

What Concrete Pavement Did for Cass City

Until about three years ago the main thoroughfare in Cass City, Michigan, had nothing but a gravelled surface. Heavy traffic made upkeep costly. No wonder local authorities and taxpayers became disgusted.

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Cass City has taken on a new air of prosperity. Store fronts have been repaired and painted. Farmers come to town more frequently to trade. Tourists stop to spend their money. Business is a lot brisker—since the coming of concrete.

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wish to fittingly commemorate those stirring scenes of Colonial history, and renew again our pledge to American ideals and traditions.

A splendid suggestion has been made, that instead of a single day we make it a "Fourth of July Week," that instead of a single day of celebrating, given over to noise making and the usual holiday activities, which are usually meaningless, we devote the whole week in recalling the stirring scenes that led up to the establishment of this free nation among the governments of the world.

Beginning Monday, June 28, Patriot's Pledge of Faith Day will be celebrated in honor of the 150th anniversary of the day of the Declaration, drafted by and in the handwriting of Thomas Jefferson, was first presented to the Continental Congress. While the mayor of Philadelphia is ringing the Liberty Bell at 11 a.m., it is suggested that governors and mayors throughout the land ring bells as the "Echo of the Liberty Bell."

Tuesday will be Universal Education Day in honor of the great American system of free education which Jefferson aided in establishing, and Wednesday is "Founders' Day," in recognition of the noble efforts of those who built upon a solid foundation the beginnings of a government destined to lead the world.

Thursday will be Greater America Day to celebrate the Louisiana Purchase by Jefferson, and Friday will be Signers' Day, in honor of the memory of the brave signers who proclaimed to the world a new doctrine of government—the immortal Declaration of Independence.

Saturday is to be Monticello Day, to commemorate the establishment of the home of Jefferson as a national memorial to the author of the Declaration of Independence. Sunday has been designated as Jefferson Centennial Day; as this is the hundred anniversary of his death, and Monday, July 3, is to be known as Sesquicentennial Independence Day in honor of the 150th birthday of the nation. This is a program that is deserving of the best efforts of every community as it gives an opportunity to impress upon the young generation our obligation to those who built so wisely that we might enjoy liberty and happiness to the extent never known in the history of the human race.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

A Pennsylvania man killed himself because the stork brought a baby boy to his home instead of a boy. He should have shot the stork.

The most aggravating man we ever knew was one who was always satisfied with the weather.

The Senate has started another gasoline inquiry that the average American is interested in is how many miles he can get on a gallon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Ruee visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Gibson returned home Tuesday from a few days spent in Saginaw and Lansing.

Grayling Citizens band will furnish music all day the 6th of July when Grayling will celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kennedy, who have been employed at Houghton Lake, have returned to Grayling. Miss Issa Granger spent the week end in Lansing returning Sunday accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mildred Corwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larsen and two children, Elsie and Alfred Jr., also Fred Larsen of Johannesburg spent Sunday with relatives here.

Anyone wanting ice cream for the Fourth in any large quantity—gallon or more, will kindly leave their orders now at the Grayling Creamery.

Mrs. Reuben F. Butler and children who have been residing at Clauson, Mich., are visiting at the home of her father Ed. Gibbons for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doroh and family, Carl Doroh and Mrs. Guy Whenton and baby son motored over to Tawas City Sunday and visited relatives.

The dancing parties at Collen's pavilion are proving very enjoyable. Last Saturday night a nice crowd attended and enjoyed dancing to popular music by Schramm's Ramblers.

Prof. Saleratus of the Kraske-Katz Karnival Company is billed for program of escapes and demonstration in Hypnotism. He will hold forth at the Karnival Friday evening, basement of the M. E. church.

The Ladies National League Camp Wagner No. 10 will hold a special business meeting Wednesday evening, June 30th. All members are requested to attend this meeting as our national president, Mrs. J. A. Holliday, will be present. Pot luck lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cripps are visiting relatives and friends in Grayling, guests at the home of the former's brother, John Cripps. Al is looking fine and is glad to be able to get back to Grayling for a visit with old friends after his long siege of illness.

Guests at the Military Reservation last Friday were Colonel and Mrs. Samuel Pepper of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. McPherson of Howell. At present Lieut. and Mrs. Ruel G. Williams of Ann Arbor are guests there. Col. Pepper and Lieut. Williams are members of the Michigan National Guard.

Anyone desiring to attend the Good Fellowship club charity party, but not having any way to go and would care to have a car call for them, please phone Mrs. Tromble or Mrs. Bates, who have charge of the transportation, they will send a car for you. Or you will find cars in front of Shoppeagon Inn ready to take you until 2:30 P.M.

Plan to spend the Fourth of July in Grayling.

Miss Helen Johnson of Detroit is visiting relatives and friends here.

Little Miss Aileen Smith of West Branch is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Frank Tetu.

Henry Ahman, who is employed in Detroit, is visiting his father, Frank Ahman and family.

We have a line of beautiful wash dresses. Come in and let us fit you at the Gift Shop Redson & Cooley.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. William Ryan of Detroit visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith last week.

Mrs. Earl Wood of Bay City is visiting her sister, Mrs. Esther J. Olson, expecting to remain for the summer.

Mrs. John Matthiesen was admitted to Mercy hospital the first of the week where she submitted to a second operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giebling are receiving felicitations on the birth of a son Roger Ross, at Grayling. Mercy Hospital, Saturday, June 19.

Miss Agnes Hanson, who is employed in Detroit, is enjoying a week's vacation visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson.

James Rensler, a former old resident of Grayling, but now residing in the state of Washington, was in town the first of the week renewing acquaintances of years ago. It is over 20 years since his last visit to Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Haskell and little daughter Margaret of Shepherd are enjoying a week's outing at Lake Margrethe occupying the Alfred Hanson cottage. Mrs. Haskell is a sister of Mrs. Sigvald Hanson, whom they are also visiting while here.

Percy Failing, who is attending the University of Michigan, was in Grayling last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Ellen Failing and other relatives. Mr. Failing was enroute to the University camp at Douglas Lake near Cheboygan, where he will be for the summer.

Miss Morse, state supervisor of Red Cross nursing was in Grayling yesterday and attended the parent-teachers picnic that was held at the Hugo Schrieber, Sr. farm near here. Miss Morse gave a very interesting talk. The affair as a whole was a very fine success.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson have as their guests their daughter, Mrs. Leonard Schubert and little daughter Ruth Ann of Petoskey. They will remain for a couple of weeks.

Also Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Josephine Vondel of East Jordan is visiting at their home expecting to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Jens Jorgenson returned to Detroit Monday after being in Grayling for several weeks looking after her property. Mrs. Jorgenson has stored her household furniture and rented her home to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guthro, who have already moved in. Mrs. Jorgenson was the guest of her sister Mrs. Johannes Rasmussen while here.

Don't forget to attend the Charity party given by the Good Fellowship club, Tuesday, June 29. You will be more than repaid by helping this good cause, as well as by your entertainment. In the afternoon, cards, sewing, refreshments and a short program. Tickets 50 cents. In the evening there will be a dance. Tickets \$1.00.

Rev. Fr. J. L. Culligan, pastor of St. Mary's church, is among the large representation from all corners of the world in attendance at the 28th International Eucharistic congress being held in Chicago this week. It was through the generosity of a number of the men of St. Mary's parish that Fr. Culligan was able to attend, thus having made up a purse to cover the expenses of the trip. This event will go down as one of the greatest in American history.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson and family of Johannesburg were in Grayling Tuesday visiting Mrs. Larson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen. Mr. Larson has purchased a hardware store in Caro and the family were enroute to that place to take up their residence. Andy has a lot of stock experience and

without a doubt will make a fine success in his new venture. He has been managing the general store of the Johannesburg Mfg. Co. at Johannesburg for the past several years.

Hanson-Wescott, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott of Detroit and grandson of Mrs. J. K. Hanson of this city has sailed for Europe where he will spend a very interesting summer. He is under contract with his own orchestra to play two weeks in Paris, France, two weeks in Brussels, Belgium and the remainder of the summer in Geneva, Switzerland.

The orchestra was organized last winter and is made up entirely of students from William and Mary's college, Williamsburg, Virginia where Mr. Wescott has been in attendance for two years.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage executed by Richard Wendt and Malinda Wendt to Freida Lenartz and William Lenartz, of Grayling, Michigan, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, on September 11, 1922 in Liber H of Mortgages on page 380. Said mortgage was dated September 11, 1922 and on which mortgage there is now due for principal, interest and taxes the sum of \$1,812.90 and attorney fees and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now claimed to be due on said mortgage or any part thereof. Therefore the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises hereinabove described by reason of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, which sale will be at public auction at the front door of the Court house in the village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, Michigan is held) on the 18th day of September, 1926 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when premises described in said mortgage are as follows: the northeast quarter of section twenty-six, town twenty-seven north, range two west, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated June 23rd, 1926.

Frieda Lenartz and William Lenartz, mortgagors.

Merle F. Nellist, attorney for

mortgagors, Grayling, Mich. 6-24-13

AN HONEST ADVERTISER

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Adv. in Hillville (Ky) Journal.

SERVICE

"Waiter, somebody took my overcoat."

"Yes, sir, shall I find you another, sir?"—Boston Globe.

Classified Ads

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LOST—TIRE, RIM AND COVER, size 35x5. Tuesday night between Lovells and Grayling, via Kellogg's. Leave at Avalanche Office.

CHILD'S HIGH CHAIR IN GOOD CONDITION. Inquire of Mrs. Blanch Hull, Boeson Block.

FOR SALE TWO FINE HOUSES, with modern conveniences and very comfortable. Inquire at Avalanche Office.

FOR RENT—GOOD 6-ROOM HOUSE, with hardwood floors and comfortably arranged. Good garage Park and Smith streets. Inquire at Avalanche Office.

FOR RENT—3-ROOM COTTAGE AT LAKE MARGRETHE. Mrs. Wm. Green, near Greenhouse, phone 1103.

SITUATION WANTED—UNINCUBERED WIDOW would like home place to work, home—more essential than big wages. Address Mrs. Harriet Davis, care of Avalanche.

WANTED—A PLACE AS HOUSE-KEEPER. Mrs. L. E. Ashmun, Fredric.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT— Will sell for \$300 on small monthly payments. Inquire of T. Boeson, Phone 573.

WORK WANTED—HOUSE cleaning or house work of any kind. Mrs. Glen Wilcox, DuPont Ave.

WANTED—ONE TAME RACOON or small cub bear. State price and description. P. O. Box 181, 6-17-tf.

HELP WANTED—CLERK—EXAMINATION Grayling. Age 18-45. Men women. Don't miss this opportunity. Coaching course \$5. Booklet free. L. Hampton, Box 181-E.G., Washington, D. C.

FOR SALE CHEAP—ONE 26-FOOT 16-passenger motor boat with 22 H. P. Leon Victor engine. Inquire of M. L. Jackson, Eldorado, Mich.

FOR RENT—VERY GOOD house. O. P. Schumann.

FOR SALE—WATER POWER washing machine in good condition, very cheap. Also writing desk. Inquire at Avalanche office.

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equipped with pump and drain, nice location. Reasonable terms. Inquire of O. P. Schumann.

HOUSE FOR SALE, CHEAP—FOR cash or on easy terms. Located on trunk line. Frank Karnes. Inquire of George Miller, phone 892.

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—Part wolf, part dog, two months old, Baree has his antecedents in the woods. His chieftain (young owl). Fighting hard, the antagonists are suddenly plunged into a swollen creek.

CHAPTER II.—Badly buffeted, and half-drowned, Baree clings to a log on the bank, but the water has destroyed his sense of direction and he is lost, lonely and hungry. For many hours he wanders through the woods, trees. He finally wanders into the trapping grounds of a halfbreed, Pierrot. Dr. Quisenberry and his daughter, Nepeese, the wife of Baree, are there. Pierrot traps them, but Nepeese escapes.

CHAPTER III.—The wolf-blood Baree becomes unmerciful. He rapidly learns Nature's secrets, though he hardly comprehends it desperately lonely.

CHAPTER IV.—Following Wakayak, the white wolf, he comes upon the catchers of fish, the big fellow leaves. He comes again into Pierrot's trapping domain. Pierrot shoots. Baree is hit, but Nepeese saves him. Baree is strongly drawn to the girl, but cannot entirely overcome his dread of man.

CHAPTER V.—Baree makes friends with the people, losing much of his sense of foreboding.

CHAPTER VI.—Bush McTaggart, factor at Lake Bain, runs his company's post, man of evil life, has long coveted Nepeese, even to the extent of shooting her, but she escapes. On his way to Pierrot and Nepeese, McTaggart takes Baree in a trap, and in a struggle Baree kills the trapper. He comes to Pierrot's cabin.

CHAPTER VII.—Nepeese claims Baree as her brother—the wounds inflicted by McTaggart after the dog had bitten him. Then promising to give her white wolf, she goes to Pierrot. Pierrot lures McTaggart to the edge of a deep pool and humiliates him by pinning him into a corner, then ties him to a tree, for Nepeese to address her. Blood poisoning develops from Baree's bite. McTaggart, however, hastens to Lake Bain, where a medical treatment is given.

CHAPTER VIII.—Nepeese has spent three winters at a mission, where she has learned to read and sew. On her seventeenth birthday, she finishes a costume which properly sets forth her really great beauty.

CHAPTER IX.—Baree hears the call of the Wild Cat, who has bidden him to sponges. He leaves Nepeese, to find a mate and hunt with the pack. Disappointed in the escape of a cartoon, he goes hunting. He is the victim of a feint, the wolves turn on Baree. He escapes through badly hurt, and with the Wild Cat definitely extinguished.

CHAPTER X.—Baree returns to Nepeese, who has been captured by a fellow trapper, Delano. Pierrot visits Pierrot. He has a message from McTaggart ordering Pierrot to go to Lake Bain, and burn down his cabin. Pierrot, undismayed at the sight, the father attacks McTaggart. In the fight the Factor shoots and kills Pierrot. Baree, however, kills McTaggart with McTaggart's pistol. On the verge of capture, the girl plunges into a pool, to what seems certain death.

In Pierrot's face Nepeese saw what had happened. Her heart died in her breast as she looked upon the still and terrible change wrought by sudden death. Slowly Pierrot straightened. His eyes were wide for a moment while staring. He made no sound. She could not see his lips move. And then he fell toward her, so that McTaggart's body was freed, timidly and with misery that gave no evidence in cry or word she flung herself down beside him. He was dead.

How long Nepeese lay there, how long she waited for Pierrot to move, to open his eyes. At last, she would never know. In that time McTaggart rose to his feet and stood leaning against the wall, the pistol in his hand, his brain clearing itself as he saw his final triumph. His work did not frighten him. Even in that tragic moment as he stood against the wall, his defense—if it ever came to a defense—framed itself in his mind. Pierrot had murderously assassinated him—without cause. In self-defense he had killed him. Was he not the Factor of Lake Bain? Would not the Company and the law believe his word before that of this girl? His brain leaped with the old exultation. It would never come to that—to a betrayal of this struggle and death in the cabin, after he had finished with her! She would not be known for all time as La Reine Noir. No, they would bury Pierrot, and she would return to Lake Bain with him. If she had been helpless before, she was ten times more helpless now. She would never tell of what had happened in the cabin.

He forgot the presence of death as he looked at her, bowed over her father, so that her hair covered him like a silken shroud.

He replaced the pistol in its holster and drew a deep breath into his lungs. He was still a little unsteady on his feet, but his face was again the face of a devil. He took a step, and it was then there came a sound to rouse the girl. In the shadow of the further wall Baree had struggled to his haunches, and now he growled.

Slowly Nepeese lifted her head. A power which she could not resist drew her eyes up until she was looking into the face of Bush McTaggart. She had almost lost consciousness of his presence; her senses were cold and deadened—it was as if her own heart had stopped beating along with Pierrot's.

What she saw in the Factor's face dragged her out of the numbness of her grief back to the abyss of her own peril. He was standing over her. In his face there was no pity, nothing

of horror at what he had done—only

Michigan Happenings**OVERDID IT**

Person Johnsons—Look here, Mose, what am yo doin' behin' dem bars?

Mose—Pahson, hit all cum erout in dis way; Ah didn't hab no trouble wid de constable nev' anybody. Hit would hab bin all right if hit hadn't bin fo' women's tub ob dress. My Wimmin fokes, dey wuzznt satisfied jes' to eat mose all dem chickens; but dey had

to put de feathers-in-deir-hats, an

parade 'em as circumstantial evidence.

Arkansas Thomas Cat.

QUITE TRUE

The patrolman—I caught Skinny Burns, the pickpocket, with the goods on—but he got away from me.

The Desk—Sergeant—Oh, well, there's many a slip twixt the cop and the dip.

Playing Golf

When playing golf, inspect your t's. And have a care which stroke you u's. To sleep on flower beds ob ea's. You have to mind your p's and q's.

Too Bad!

He—How are you?

Me—Rotten. Got insomnia.

He—How come?

Me—Woke me twice in geometry class this morning.

Closing Hour

"John," asked the nagging wife, as the bedtime hour approached, "is everything shut up for the night?"

"That depends on you," crowed Mr. Henpeck; "everything else is."

Prudent Scotty

"Aha Sandy! Did I no see ye last night w/o' arms about a fassle?"

"Na, Jamie, it contum been me. I always keep an hand i' ma pocket,"

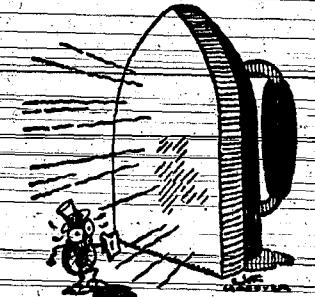
Frathe Farmer.

Some Mistake

Traveler—See here, porter, didn't I give you a five instead of a one?

Porter—Don't you mean didn't you give me a five instead of a ten, sah?

NOTHING IN IT



Bug—Oh sticks, I always heard it was nice and cool around these flatiron buildings!

Using One Hand

On—nuthin' the facts.

Or handsome Meles.

He had his arm around his girl.

Making Change

Huy and Feed Dealer—You owe me \$3 for oats, Mose, and if you don't pay me I'll have to take your horse.

Uncle Mose—All right, Mistah Gugghenheimer, an' Ah'll pay you de balance o' de \$3 jest as soon as Ah kin.

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Hon. Herbert Hoover, Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of Michigan State College, Dr. W. E. Hindle, professor of anthropology at University of Michigan and Dr. Norman A. Wood, museum of Zoology, at the University of Michigan, are contributors to "Vacationland," the 1926 magazine of the East Michigan Tourist association, which is now in the mails. The magazine contains many references to Detroit as a mecca for the tourist and vacationist. An article on "The World's Greatest High

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Among prominent contributors to the magazine and their subjects are:

The Friends of Tired Man—Fish, by Hoy Herbert Hoover; "Michigan's Unique Beauty" by Dr. Kenyon L.

Butterfield, president Michigan State College; "Rest Days," a poem by Ed.

A Guest; "The World's Greatest Highway," by Leon V. Belknap,

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GRAYLING
Fourth of July Celebration
Monday, July 5th, 1926**PROGRAM**

9:30 A. M. Parade to start at north end of Spruce St. near Hospital, down M-14 to Lake Street, down Lake St. to Norway St. to Michigan Avenue, up Michigan Avenue to Park Street.

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Children blow soap bubbles and as they float away their eyes are so entranced by the colorful lights in the bubble that they start with disappointment when the bubble bursts. Men are not much different. The gorgeous rainbow promises of wealth in a financial bubble will sometimes cause the most conservative to lose his sense of values until the bubble bursts and then comes disillusionment. Just often enough to keep the mind in doubt, the vision in The Bubble becomes a reality.

The question in the three-act comedy presented on the first night of the Chautauqua is Does the old German delicatessen keeper, Gustav Mueller,

A MAN OF MYSTERY

What do you know about the planet Mars? Is it inhabited? If so, by what kind of people? Are they like the men of earth in form and character? Are they subject to the same emotions? Are they peaceful or war-like? Does intellect or brute force prevail? Has civilization on that planet reached the high stage of man on earth? Those as well

as many other questions will be

answered by the mysterious Messenger who will travel 25,000,000 miles on the fifth night of the Chautauqua program to appear before our audience. His coming, as well as his going, is shrouded in mystery. Even the source of the uncanny power which he wields is mysterious. All will agree that "The Message from Mars" is from every standpoint a great play

BAND DIRECTOR

CHARLES E. GREEN

The name of Charles E. Green has become synonymous with excellence in band music. Three years ago Green and His Band appeared on the Chautauqua program in most of the towns in which they are appearing this year. So pronounced was the success of that tour that many Chautauqua Committees each year have asked for the return of the Band. In 1924, this Band toured a Community Chautauqua Circuit which included many of the mid-west and eastern cities, including Chicago, Detroit, Toledo, Dayton, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Buffalo, Albany, New Britain, New London and New Haven, Conn., and Springfield, Mass.

Green and His Band to Return

Green and His Band are always favorites with Chautauqua audiences in all parts of the country. Charles E. Green, the organizer of this Band, has a fine sense of program building. He knows what people like. Also he knows what they ought to like. Also he knows how to mix just enough of both to make his program entertaining and at the same time musically right.

The afternoon and evening concerts of this Band on the third day, while including well known band selections such as "Raymond Overture" and "William Tell," are made up of time worn numbers. Descriptive numbers, humorous numbers, characteristic numbers and novelties, as well as stirring marches, are features of the program. Practically all of the numbers used in the great bands of the country

are played by the great bands of the country.

Great Magic Show for Chautauqua**CHINESE TORTURE CABINET**

On the second day of the Chautauqua program, so elaborate is the drama we are to have a program of equipment that the emerged Chautauqua magic and illusions that is very different from the ordinary entertainment. William Eugene Frye, master magician and illusionist, with his assistants, Leah Miles and James Quellett, present a program that has continuity. Each trick or illusion bears a definite relationship to the one that precedes or follows it. This tying together of the various parts of the program has been so masterfully done, that at the close of the entertainment you have the sense of having witnessed a complete performance, rather than a series of independent tricks. Many illusions are presented to musical accompaniment. The company carries nearly a ton of Chautauqua audience.

CHAUTAUQUA ORATOR

DR. HARRY G. HILL

In his lecture on the fourth day of our Chautauqua, Dr. Hill will lead his audience on a voyage of discovery. Few people are conscious of their own hidden resources, their own undeveloped powers, and their own great possibilities. Dr. Hill possesses the faculty of treating great subjects in a simple attractive style. New faith in one's self—new hope for the future—new ways of success and happiness—will be revealed by Dr. Hill in his inspiring lecture "AN UNDISCOVERED WORLD."

DUTCH MAIDENS

PARKINSON ENSEMBLE
A charming group of instrumentalists, the Parkinson Ensemble will present the afternoon program on the fifth day of our Chautauqua. One feature of their program will be a group of Dutch numbers presented in Dutch costumes and wooden shoes. Miss Frances Parkinson, cellist; Miss Florence Hood, violinist, and Miss Ruth Lash, pianist, are the members of this company. Well known classical selections, as well as the better popular numbers will make up their program.

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There are two kinds of patriotism—The Patriotism of Peace and the Patriotism of War. As great as is the variance in the evidences of these two types, the fact remains that their ultimate purpose is the same—service to one's country. The Patriotism of War requires a willingness to die for one's country; the Patriotism of Peace requires not only a willingness but a determination to live for one's country. Ward B. Flaxington, the "orator" on the second day of the Chautauqua, possesses both kinds of patriotism, and he has put both of them into practice. As a soldier in the American Expeditionary Forces of the World War, he struggled in the slime and mud of the trenches. As an American citizen in peace, he is struggling in the muck of social unrest, endeavoring to analyze and throw the white light of reason upon the problems that America faces today. His clear forceful presentation of his subject inspires and commands admiration.

Add to beautiful voices, splendid personalities and a sense of enter-

tainment values commonly known as showmanship, and you have a combination that is certain to please. All of this and more is possessed by Harriett Krauth, well known Chicago soprano, and Lillian May Heugel, contralto, known as Indiana's finest entertainer. These young ladies have an enviable record as entertainers before state and national conventions and other national gatherings. Together with Opal DeLong, accompanist and piano accordionist, they form an entertainment company unsurpassed.

ETHEL L. IRWIN

On the fifth afternoon, a lecture-entertainment quite different than the ordinary, will be presented by Ethel L. Irwin, who has traveled extensively in Old Mexico and through Latin American countries. Miss Irwin discusses the characteristics and habits of the Mexican people and explains their social and political institutions. It is her object to create a better understanding between the people of the United States and our Sister Republic because it is upon understanding that amity and peaceful relationships are built.

OPAL DeLONG
A delightful novelty in the program of the Harmony Maids is the work of Miss Opal DeLong, piano accordionist. She appears on the fourth day.

WITH THE MAGICIAN**JUNIOR CHAUTAUQUA**

Chautauqua enthusiasm, Rah, Rah, Rah, Johnny has it, Susie has it, So has Pa. Junior Chautauqua, Rah, Rah, Rah!

JAMES QUELLETT—LEAH MILES

An prelude to the magical program on the second day of the Chautauqua, and as assistants presenting musical accompaniments to some of the illusions of the magician, Leah Miles, soprano, pianist and soprano, and James Quellett, baritone and accompanist, show unusual versatility. Miss Miles is a thorough-going musician and has had many years' experience in large orchestras, as well as in smaller musical organizations where her work has been featured. Mr. Quellett is a young pianist of ability, who provides a splendid accompaniment for the solo work of Miss Miles and whose voice blends perfectly with hers in pleasing vocal duets. In the magician's program in the evening, Miss Miles plays the part of the Chinese Princess who goes to her death in the mysterious Chinese Torture Cabinet with a song on her lips.

HARMONY MAIDS

OLD MEXICO



WITH HARMONY MAIDS

CHICAGO WELCOMES CATHOLIC PRELATES

Immense Demonstration in Coliseum—Coolidge Sends Message.

Chicago—Chicago extended her civic welcome to the twenty-eighth International Eucharistic congress with an immense demonstration in the Coliseum.

Welcomed by nation, state and city, John Cardinal Bonzano stood silently before 12,000 persons, while for fully two minutes the great throng paid him tribute with cheers and applause.

The papal legate, personal representative of the pope at the twenty-eighth Eucharistic congress, heard cordial welcomes extended to him by Catholic and Protestant leaders.

Major Dever, speaking for the city; Governor Small, representing the commonwealth; Secretary of Labor Davis, with the message from President Coolidge and his own address; Robert M. Switzer, for the Catholic charities; Samuel Insull for Catholic unity and the commercial and financial interests of the municipality; the telegram from Senator Charles S. Deneen; and finally, Cardinal Bonzano, accepting the welcome, closed up the program into a great dramatic unity.

In his message to Cardinal Mundelein, read by Secretary Davis, President Coolidge regretted that he was unable to accept the invitation to attend the meeting in person and then dwelt briefly on the need for and value of religion in the life of a nation.

"Material prosperity cannot be secured unless it rests on spiritual realities," he said.

Replying specifically to President Coolidge's declaration for religious freedom, Cardinal Bonzano said:

"It is plain from the words of your distinguished President that he believes religion and morality, as well as knowledge, to be essential to good government."

Official announcement has been made that the 1928 meeting of the congress will be held in Sydney, Australia.

Auto Breaks Records,**New York to Frisco**

San Francisco.—All trans-continentaI vehicular speed records were shattered when a Studebaker automobile, which left New York at 2:07 a. m. one day arrived here at 12:27 three and a half days later.

Ad Jenkins and Ray Peck, Salt Lake City business men, made the trip. They smashed the fastest passenger train time between the two cities by 12 hours and 5 minutes and knocked off 16 hours and 25 minutes from the previous automobile speed record. The 3,471 miles were made at an average of 40.15 miles an hour.

To Show Opposition to Debt Settlement

Paris.—Crippled war veterans, hobbling on crutches, blind veterans led by dogs and mutilated heroes in wheel chairs will lead a parade of 50,000 French war legionnaires up the Champs Elysees and around the Arch of Triumph on July 4 as a protest against the debt agreement, according to plans of the veterans' executive council.

To show that the demonstration is not one against America, the Stars and Stripes will be carried in the procession, among the 2,500 flags representing the veteran posts.

Australia Has Plans to Force Arbitration

Melbourne.—The Commonwealth House of Representatives passed a conciliation and arbitration bill which reconstitutes the Commonwealth arbitration court and grants the judges wider powers. The bill appoints conciliation commissioners and permits the government to intervene in the interests of the public when standard working hours or basic wages are disputed. The Laborites support the measure.

Farm Loan Interest Rate Officially Cut

Washington.—The farm loan board announced a reduction of from 5 to 4% per cent in the interest rate on direct loans to cooperative marketing organizations by intermediate credit banks. A cut in the rediscount rate of banks from 5 to 4% per cent, effective July 1, was also announced.

Congress Likely to Quit Duties June 30

Washington.—The Republican steering committee of the house of representatives decided upon June 30 as a suitable day for the adjournment of congress, continuing the session four days beyond Saturday, June 26, which was the original date chosen.

Pope Issues a Denial

Rome.—Pope Pius issued a denial of rumors that the Catholic church was acting politically with respect to Asia. The denial was forwarded in an apostolic letter to vicars and prefects in Asia.

Spain's Attitude Unchanged

Madrid.—Spain will remain firm in her attitude for a seat in the league of nations. Foreign Minister Yanguas said at a banquet in his honor here in a speech.

COURTESY ALWAYS PAYS

The tourists are beginning to come. The summer resorts are opening. Soon the village streets and the highways will be busy places.

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LOCAL NEWS

CRAWFORD COUNTY

THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1926

Character is more than the winning of gold, more than garnishing the mind with the treasures of knowledge, more than decking the figure with precious stones and fabrics. Character is the clothing figured and woven by the soul out of the doing and happening of the common day for wear in time and in eternity. — Rev. Samuel Johnson, Northfield, Minn.

Russell Robertson has accepted a position in the Kraus hardware store.

New line of white felts Saturday at the Gift Shop, Redson & Cooley.

Lake Margrethe "T-Shoppe" will have tea n-la-carte every afternoon.

Ladies, let me tell you how to get a 31-piece Breakfast set. Mrs. James McDonnell, phone No. 7.

Is your feet long and slender or short and broad. We fit them all, big or small at Olson's.

A few more coats at the Gift Shop. Gargols, if they will fit you.

Redson & Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Schoonover have as their guest the latter's sister, Miss Blanche Goodale of Lapeer.

Leave your orders now for ice cream for the Fourth.

Grayling Creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kraus enjoyed a visit over the week end from the latter's father, James Hurst Jr., Burton, Mich.

Mrs. Dan Rankin of Johannesburg was the guest of her brother, Andrew Brown and family from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huber are enjoying a visit from the latter's mother, Mrs. Thayler and nephew, Hins Thayler of Detroit.

During vacation we will be open from 7 A. M. to 2 P. M. and from 6 to 9 P. M. on Sundays.

Central Drug Store.

Mrs. Leo Tope entertained her sister-in-law, Miss Gladys Tope of Flint and Miss Edna Proffrock of Ortonville, from Sunday until Tuesday.

Extensive plans are being made by the ladies of St. Mary's Altar society for their annual summer fair which will be held on August 14th this year.

Enjoy magic and mystery? Then you will want to see Prof. NeBuhr in his program at the "Karnival" Friday evening of this week. Place? Basement of the M. E. church.

Miss Dorothy Hoosli had as her guest Miss Gladys DeLaMater of Gaylord for a week, she returning home Friday. Miss Dorothy accompanied her returning to Grayling Tuesday.

East Jordan's fast base ball team is booked to play here the 4th and 5th. Grayling will present a formidable line-up with "Babe" and "Johnnie" on the rubber, and "Pete" and "Mitch" receiving, and "Dago" driving from the back seat.

Idlers! How can they do it? It is exasperating to note upon our streets with apparently only one ambition, and that is to doll up and gad the streets. Sensible people will take their hats off to the young boy and girl who will at least show some inclination toward enterprise.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoffman, June 20th, a daughter at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lola Papenfus of Lowell. The little girl will be known as Arbutus Ann. Dr. C. G. Clift and Mrs. Joe Duby were there to greet her. The mother formerly was Miss Helen Papenfus.

We want to give our customers the best Fountain Service possible. Our Carbonator gives uniform well charged soda water. Our flavors are the best we can buy and the Sun-kist Orange and Lemon Extractor and Drink Mixers make quick service. Give us a trial! Central Drug Store.

Grant Publishing of Bay City is in the city taking the place of O. F. McIssac, timbermaster for Michigan Central, while the latter is away on his vacation. Mr. McIssac joined his family, who reside in Mackinaw City and at present they are enjoying a trip in the East, visiting Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

Miss Dorothy Hoosli invited twenty boys and girls to her home Wednesday evening of last week to meet her friend, Miss Gladys DeLaMater of Gaylord, who was visiting here. The evening was spent playing games, Ernest Lovelly and Myrtle Burrows winning first prizes in a couple of contests and Milo Endricks and Keith Wheeler consolations. A delicious lunch was served.

Miss Leonard, teacher of domestic art in our schools, was guest of honor at a luncheon given by the Good Fellowship club at the "T" Shoppe at Lake Margrethe Friday afternoon. After luncheon the ladies were entertained informally at the cottage of Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Mrs. Geo. Alexander receiving the prize for bridge. Miss Leonard is not returning to Grayling, but will teach next year in her home town at Gladwin.

On Sunday night Sheriff Bohemeyer and his officers arrested Herman Johnson of Wayne and George Kitausk of Grayling for violation of the liquor law. Also on Monday night they arrested L. L. Curtis, Mrs. Ethel Mafurant and Robert Rosenthal, all of Houghton Lake village, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Marsh of Grayling, also on charges of violation of the liquor law. All were taken to Bay City to appear in Federal court for arraignment.

The 4th of July committee announces the greatest assortment of night fireworks that have ever been displayed in Grayling. \$350.00 have been spent for this feature alone. It will be worth coming many miles to see. And the street parade at 9:30 a. m. promises to be filled with many surprises. You will be thrilled and pleased and highly entertained. From the morning hour of the 5th, every minute of the day will present some feature for your entertainment. The committees claim that they are going to try and make this celebration comfortable for the people who come from outside of the city as well as to give them a great entertainment.

The absence of Undertaker George Sorenson, who will be in Grand Rapids for the next two weeks, Mr. Harry of the Haley Training school, Detroit, will have charge of the undertaking and embalming business for Sorenson Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward King, and Mrs. Frank Karnes and children of Flint visited at the home of the ladies' mother, Mrs. George Miller the latter part of the week. Billy Karnes remained for a longer visit. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. the rest returning home Sunday night.

Very fine rooms for rent over Mac & Gidley drug store. Inquire of T. Rossen.

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Miss Mable Shippy of the Avalanche force visited at Gaylord over Sunday.

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Hat Sale, now on at Gift Shop. Hats from \$1.00 to \$0.95. Former price \$3.50 to \$14.50.

The "T-Shoppe" is ready to serve short order lunches and dinners every day during the season.

Mrs. Henrietta Phelps of Ortonville is expected to come this week for a visit with friends.

Music at the Sunday School Karnival will be furnished by the Whiz-Bang Orchestra. Don't miss the great event of the season, Friday evening.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis motored to Flint Friday to spend the week end visiting Mr. Lewis. Her son Mark, who accompanied her, remained for a longer visit with his father, she returning Sunday evening.

Miss Genevieve Montour, a member of this year's graduating class from Grayling high school has accepted a position as stenographer in the T. W. Hanson office.

Mrs. James Hanson of Marlette visited in Grayling over the week end, coming to get her household furniture ready to ship to Marlette where the family now resides.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley visited their daughter, Mrs. Winor in Vanderbilt Sunday. They were accompanied by their grandson, Sam Gust, who will remain in Vanderbilt indefinitely.

Mrs. Kristine Salling has completed her first year of teaching in the public schools of Alma, and arrived home Saturday for the summer vacation. Miss Salling will return to Alma again next year.

Want to know the future? Then consult Mudane Way or Bunkinski at the Karnival Friday evening. You will certainly get your money's worth whether it comes to pass or not.

Grayling Chapter O. E. S. will entertain the members of the Roscommon chapter at dinner Friday evening. Following the dinner there will be degree work.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson and children left Saturday morning by motor for Grand Rapids to spend a couple of weeks vacation, visiting Mrs. Sorenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Johnson.

Bring the Kiddies to the Karnival. There will be balloons, novelties, ice cream, candy, pink lemonade and the usual Karnival trimmings. Remember general admission is free but you will need some change.

Mrs. Herluf Sorenson was hostess to a company of ladies Tuesday afternoon at her home to honor Mrs. Alfred E. Sorenson of Seattle, Wash., who is a guest in the city. A lunch of lovely appointments was served.

Don't forget the "Karnival" Friday evening in the basement of the M. E. church. While there is no general admission charge bring plenty of nickles and dimes for you will need them.

Mrs. Clarence Feldhauser, who has been spending several weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldhauser, returned to her home in Standish, Sunday. Paul Feldhauser accompanied her home by auto.

Clarence Johnson was in East Jordan Sunday where he was hired to pitch for East Jordan against Cheboygan in a game of base ball. East Jordan took the honors by a score of 9 to 1. This was Johnny's first game of the season.

Mrs. Benjamin Jerome and children have arrived from Pontiac to spend the summer at their summer home at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Jerome, who accompanied the family here, will come to Grayling to spend the week ends during the season.

Roy Johnson of Evansville, Indiana, arrived unexpectedly the last of the week and is a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Marie Hanson. The young man has never been in the north before, and although he thinks the weather is quite chilly he is very enthusiastic about the north country.

During the absence of Undertaker George Sorenson, who will be in Grand Rapids for the next two weeks, Mr. Harry of the Haley Training school, Detroit, will have charge of the undertaking and embalming business for Sorenson Brothers.

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A Carnival will be held at the Michelson Memorial church basement Friday evening June 25th under the direction of the Sunday school. This promises to be a unique affair and should be well supported.

Mrs. George Burke left the last of the week for Toledo, Ohio, to visit relatives.

With your next order of groceries specify Grayling-Made butter, or you may get it at Grayling Creamery.

Judging from the number of arrests made recently of prohibition violations, it looks as though the Sheriff would have plenty of booze on hand for the 4th.

Emerson Brown is home from the Ypsilanti Normal school for a few days visit at his home. Emerson expects to leave soon for Harbor Springs where he will play with Augie Lorenz's orchestra at the grand opening of the new hotel.

The grand opening will earn journeymen's wages. He has been ambitious in past years and because of that was able to finish high school and have mastered a good trade at the same time. That is a privilege that is seldom acquired by young men these days. He is now able to reap a good reward in re-payment for his industry.

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THE IDEAL AMERICAN

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school and classics in college produced thinkers. But education has taken on a new meaning. The three R's have been taken by manual training and domestic science, by mechanics and mining, classical study has yielded to sciences and professions. Education now produces workers; but it must not stop there, education must teach our youth to know how to do, but how to be. It must make us citizens.

The weakness of our educational system is that it teaches the mind and trains the hand, but does not reach the heart. Looking far down the years tonight, I see on a bleak shore a jagged rock upon which a band of exiles are fervently praying. When I remember why they were there, what sacrifices they make for their faith, I tremble to think how lightly we hold that faith which bore their hearts. Heaven forbid that we should forget that our land is first of all Christian. Our schools must produce not merely gymnasts and mechanical magicians, but moral giants.

These tasks fulfilled shall do a lot toward producing the ideal citizen, but we also need a new love of country and new expression of that love.

The patriot of '76 gave up his life in battle for freedom. In '61 patriotism meant the sacrifice of life for the stranger within our gates, and in

the World War our soldier boys fought to rid the world of military despotism. Even though it is admirable it is not the highest form of patriotism. The citizen must be ready to answer the call of arms and also of peace. War is passing and with it the idea that devotion to country finds its truest expression in cheers and flags, bayonets and drums.

The patriot of the future must consider he serves his country when he participates in any form of honest business. When he votes, he must cast his ballot as if it were a bullet fired at a deadly enemy. In selecting officers, personal worth should rise above party names. In looking for an office he must do it with a desire to make his country better.

Such must be the coming citizen. Such an education having given him mind and heart such a morality having purified his life at home and such a patriotism having sanctified his all to the fatherland, alone can preserve America. From him alone can "this nation, under God, receive a new birth of freedom." Without him, "government for the people, by the people and of the people" must "perish from the earth."

After a war in which three-fourths of the civilized people of the world took part, we find many of the countries bordering on chaos. There never was a time more than now that we needed well bred, well educated young men and women to do intellectual work and counteract the evils.

Our educated young people must stand for law, order and good government, essentials we have learned in high school. We wish to thank our parents for providing this education for us and the teachers for their kindness and patience when we were slow to learn.

And we have chosen blue and gold for our colors. We have not taken an Alice blue or cerise, but an enduring shade from the primary colors in the rainbow which God set in the clouds. So we have chosen the blue for honor and blend with it the gold.

The rich gold of pure value, the color of sunshine and symbol of all glory.

We are going out of school-life and into life's school and on our shoulders may rest the future of our government. The knowledge that we have acquired of our country through the helpful aid of our teachers enables us to respect it and make it a better government.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the village of Grayling in said County, on the 12th day of June A. D. 1926.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jane Peters, deceased.

Era G. Shaw, having filed in Court his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration and settlement of said estate be granted to said Ezra G. Shaw or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the sixth day of July A. D. 1926 at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

GEORGE SORENSEN, Judge of Probate.

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